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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 08702.0009-03000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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LEONARD et al.) Group Art Unit: 1645
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Application No.: 10/659,586) Examiner: N.M. Minnifield
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Filed: September 11, 2003)
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For: USE OF IL-12 AND IL-12) Confirmation No.: 4504
ANTAGONISTS IN THE)
TREATMENT OF AUTOIMMUNE)
DISEASES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of February 8, 2006. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: June 8, 2006

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